

SOUTHERN BELL FORCE IS READY

Will Shortly Begin Construction of Long Distance Line.

ARE NOW WAITING ON POLES

Some Delay Has Been Caused in Arrival of This Necessary Adjunct, and as Soon as They are Received Work will Begin.

J. M. Goodwin, superintendent of construction of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, has arrived in the city with his "gang" and within the next day or two, as soon as poles can be secured, expects to begin work on the long-distance line between this city and Jacksonville.

Mr. Goodwin is one of the most experienced and most valued employees of the construction department of this great corporation. He has been for many years in its employ, working from the bottom up, and is regarded very highly by the management of the Southern Bell as a man who knows his business. He has a force of about 30 men here now and proposes at the earliest moment to begin operations.

There has been several delays in the matter of getting the work started on this long-distance line, principal among which has been the buying of the right-of-way and the securing of poles. The right-of-way has been purchased as far as Starke, however, and a contract has been let for poles. The first poles will not be delivered before the latter part of the present week, when the gang will at once begin the construction. It is calculated that by the time the construction department covers the right-of-way already secured, full arrangements will have been made to complete the work to Jacksonville, connecting with the outside world.

As has already been stated, the Southern Bell does not do things half way. They use only the best of materials and have a man regularly employed for no other duty than to inspect the poles as they are delivered. If these poles do not come up to the standard they are refused, as they are placed for lasting purposes. Nothing but copper wire of the best quality is used, and all other appurtenances are in proportion.

WILLEFORD ENTERTAINMENT.

Ice Cream Supper and Tableaux Presented for Church Benefit.

The people of Willeford participated in an ice cream supper and tableaux entertainment on the evening of Friday, the 21st inst., which was given for the benefit of the Sunday school, and which was largely attended and proved a great success, both financially and from a standpoint of attendance.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Thomas, after which several striking tableaux were rendered by the young ladies of the neighborhood.

A G. Masters acted as stage manager and proved to be most competent in that line.

In all the affair was quite a success, and those present had a big time.

High Springs Was Good.

The Gainesville junior baseball team, which visited High Springs Tuesday afternoon are well pleased with the hospitable manner in which they were treated by the club of that town, as well as the citizens. Notwithstanding the fact that the Gainesville boys were victorious, the score being four to three, the visiting club was extended every courtesy possible, the refreshments being free at every place in the city. Whenever a Gainesville boy appeared for a drink and attempted to pay for it the assurance was always given that "the bill is paid."

The High Springs boys expect to come to Gainesville for a return game soon, and the junior club is anxious to give them a good time, which they will doubtless do.

Satisfying that the game was a junior one it was well played, and better than a great many league games if we are to judge by the score. It was said by those who witnessed it that the boys on both teams played excellent ball, and deserve to be congratulated.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-known remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, keeps all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Two-cent bottle.

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CHOLERA INFANTUM.

Child Not Expected to Live from One Hour to Another. But Cured by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Ruth, the little daughter of E. N. Dewey of Agnewville, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer. "We gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. "I happened to think of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five hours I saw a change for the better. We kept on giving it and before she had taken the half of one small bottle she was well." This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

One Legged Dinner Party.

A certain gentleman, the possessor of a cork leg, living in one of the London suburbs annually gives a dinner to a dozen owners of a like substitute. In the center of the table are grouped four crutches, around which twine festoons of flowers; miniature legs in ivory compose the handles of the knives and forks, while the piece de resistance is invariably a magnificent turkey that has been deprived of a leg before being brought to table.

English Fish Laws.

Fish, because of its tendency rapidly to decompose, holds a peculiar position among foods. In England it is the subject of a special act of parliament. So long ago as 1698 men knew the evil consequences resulting from eating mackerel of uncertain post mortem age, so they passed an act providing that except during the hours of divine service this fish could be sold on Sunday. That act has never been repealed.

Making It Plain.

Sapleigh: Oh, I say, Miss Hamerton, why is it that you are always out when I call? Miss Hamerton: Because I'm foolish, I suppose. Sapleigh: I—er—beg pardon! Miss Hamerton: Well, you know the old saying, "A fool for luck."

Sleep.

If the muscles are not tired, there cannot be a full demand for sleep, unless, of course, the brain has been overworked. Healthy bodily exercise, carried to the point of rendering rest sweetly welcome, is one natural means of promoting sleep.

Won Over.

Lawyer: I'll be frank with you. You can't break your father's will. Client: I'll be frank with you. I can't pay you unless it can be broken. Lawyer: I'll go you one better. We'll break that will.—Cleveland Leader.

Never strikes a man when he is down. Ten chances to one he will get up again.—Detroit News.

NEW YORK HARBOR.

Some of the Wonders of This Vessel Crowded Port.

To present to the mind an easily conjured picture of New York harbor one might make the comparison of the upturned right hand, with the long, straight forefinger for the lower stretch of the Hudson, with the thumb, joint turned out, standing for the bent East river and the palm of the hand representing upper New York bay. The three together make up the harbor of New York. As Hudson river shelters most of the north Atlantic liners while in port, so does East river harbor those that go to make up the truly foreign fleets. Here they are, pier after pier of them—the steamers that go to the far countries. Mind the roll—Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Peru, west coast of Africa, Australia, India, China, Japan! And bark again to the call of the ports—Rio Janeiro, Buenos Ayres, Valparaiso, St. Paul de Loanda, Cape Town, Tamatave, Sydney, Singapore, Hongkong, Yokohama! And the strange stuff of their cargoes! Rubber from the Amazon swamps—see the naked Indians tapping the trees and the slimy reptiles in the shadowy ooze; horn and tallow from the pampas—mark the centaurs-like vaquero and his whirling riata; gold dust, ivory, palm oil from the west coast. Dreams for you there! Palm oil and gold dust and ivory; elephants and sacrificial fires and trains of captive slaves; hemp, tea, silks and smuggled opium—and do not believe that opium is not smuggled into New York harbor to this day. You think of all that, and your imagination flames.

The gentlemen in the pilot houses are not always in placid moods. Wild eyed men glare out from pilot houses aloft, like eagles from their eyries, and pass the time of day. Says one: "Where d' y' think you're going? Back, will you?" And the other: "Back? Me back? Me?"

"You? Yes, you, you slop eyed, slack mouthed, spine twisted fresh water goob, you square headed, fatherless"—And so on, detailing irremediable flaws in the genealogy, after which both back down and avert the impending collision.—James B. Connolly in Harper's Magazine.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure for throat and lung troubles. At all drug stores; price 50c and \$1, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Ponderous Handel.

Handel was very large, weighing over 200 pounds. His figure was unwieldy and he rolled from side to side as he walked. His hands were so thick and ponderous that people wondered how he could play the harpsichord or organ at all. His face was red and coarse, with a long nose, thick lower lip and full chin with a dimple in it. His eyes were prominent and eyebrows very full. He was a monstrous eater and at times drank heavily. His concert was stupendous, and he always entertained the idea that there was no music to be compared to his own. He was boorish in manner, quick in temper, and when irritated would sometimes give utterance to a robust oath in the German language. His contemporaries said he looked like a porter.

Indigestion.

With its companions, heartburn, flatulence, torpidity of the liver, constipation, palpitation of the heart, poor blood, headache and other nervous symptoms, sallow skin, foul tongue, offensive breath and a legion of other ailments, is at once the most widespread and destructive malady among the American people. The Herbine treatment will cure all these troubles. 50c bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

No Need For Worry.

The Husband (on his deathbed)—My darling, when I am gone, how will you ever be able to pay the doctor's bills? The Wife—Don't worry about that, dear. If the worst comes to the worst, I can marry the doctor, you know.

Imagination.

"Mabel has a most wonderful power of imagination."

"Really? That's the very last thing I should have given her credit for."

"Oh, it's quite true, I assure you. She actually fancies that she's good looking."

Ayer's

Hair Vigor. To be sure, gray hair is better than no hair. But why have it gray, and thus tell everybody you are getting old? Keep it dark and rich; make it long and heavy.

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7 45			Fairfield.....			6 10
7 55			Irvine.....			6 00
8 00			Dungarvan.....			5 55
8 05			Southside.....			5 50
8 10			Hickman.....			5 45
8 15			Lake Simonton.....			5 40
8 30			Micanopy.....			5 30
8 35			Tacoma.....			5 20
8 45			Kirkwood.....			5 15
8 50			Olyatt.....			5 10
9 00			Wacahoota.....			4 55
9 15			Rocky Point.....			4 40
9 45 Ar			Gainesville.....	9 20	10 10 Ar	3 00
11 00 Lv	6 15 Lv	6 30	Bellamy.....	8 55	9 45	2 30
11 35	6 40	6 53	Cyril.....	8 40	9 30	1 50
12 00	6 55	7 08	Graham.....	8 32	9 22	1 30
12 20	7 08	7 12	Hampson City.....	8 20	9 10	1 10
12 40	7 15 Ar	7 28	Palatka, G. S. & F.....	8 50 p	6 00 a	
	9 50	10 50	Lake City, G. S. & F.....	7 04 p	7 42	
	8 48	8 45	Tallahassee, S. A. L.....	1 48 p		
	11 05	11 00 a	Valdosta, G. S. & F.....	4 50 p	5 20	
	8 55 a	4 30 p	Macon, G. S. & F.....	11 30 a	12 40 a	
	7 35 a	7 55 p	Atlanta, C. of Ga.....	7 50 a	9 00	
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